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Page 9, third paragraph, lines 7-8, amend the paragraph as follows:

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FIGS. 3A and 3B are Fig. 3A is a diagram of surveillance cameras connected to a frame switcher and Fig. 3B is a diagram diagrams of a video data format of a first embodiment;

Page 9, sixth paragraph, lines 14-15, amend the paragraph as follows:

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FIG. 6 is a diagram of a—supplement information composing method—of a first embodiment;

Page 10, first paragraph, lines 2-3, amend the paragraph as follows:

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FIG. 12 is a diagram of <u>a bit map in an image</u> recording method of a second embodiment;

Pages 23-25, the paragraph bridging these pages from page 23, line 27 to page 25, line 6, amend the paragraph as follows:

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In other words, by conducting the processing of the steps 102 to 104 of FIG. 4 on the bit map of supplement information obtained at the step 203, a quantized DCT

Subsequently, by conducting Huffman decoding on the JPEG data for surveillance image obtained by the processing of FIG. 4, in the compressor/expander 8, a quantized DCT coefficient block group is extracted (step 205). In addition, the quantized DCT coefficient block group of the surveillance image and the quantized DCT coefficient block group of the supplement information obtained in the step 204 are added together (step 206). In other words, the quantized DCT coefficient block group of the surveillance image data and the quantized DCT coefficient block group of the supplement information data are combined. The quantized DCT coefficient block group after addition is subjected to Huffman encoding (step 207). Finally, the quantized DCT coefficient block group of the supplement information obtained at the step 204 is subjected to Huffman encoding (step 208). JPEG data of the supplement information obtained at the step 208 is stored in a header portion of JPEG data of the combined surveillance and supplement information images image obtained at the step 207 (step 209), and the processing is finished. In other words, the JPEG data of a combination of the supplement information

coefficient block group is generated (step 204).

compressor/expander 8 or with software in the CPU 1.

processing of the step 204 may be conducted either in the

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image data and surveillance image data is linked to the JPEG

data of the supplement information image data. Herein, the

JPEG data generated at the step 208 and the JPEG data

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generated at the step 209 are referred to as JPEG data for supplement information image and JPEG data for image display, respectively. The JPEG data for image display is preserved in the recorder 3 of the surveillance device 20.